GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RURAL DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA

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APPOINTMENT OF ROZGAR SEWAKS UNDER NREGS
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Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the criteria followed while appointing Rozgar Sewaks under NREGS;

(b) whether the Government has appointed any Rozgar Sewaks in the country under NREGS since its inception;

(c) if so, the details thereof, State-wise and

(d) the remuneration being paid to them and the mode of its payment?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRI CHANDRA SEKHAR SAHU)

(a) to (d) NREGA guidelines (para 2.2.1) make it advisable to appoint an Employment Guarantee Assistant who may be called Gram Rozgar Sevak or some other equivalent term. Terms and conditions of appointment will be decided by the States concerned and appointment, if any, are to be made by them. The overall expenditure under administrative expenses is to be kept within the permissible limit.